Draft Resolution 21-003 Review and Recommendation FY2022 Work Plan and Budget, FY2020 Accomplishment Report June 23, 2021

Whereas, at the April 28, 2021 meeting of the Lower Colorado River Multi-Species Conservation Program Steering Committee, the Bureau of Reclamation distributed the *Draft Implementation Report*, *Fiscal Year 2022 Work Plan and Budget*, *Fiscal Year 2020 Accomplishment Report*;

Whereas, Steering Committee members were advised of and invited to participate in a meeting of the Implementation Report, Work Plan, and Budget Technical Work Group held on May 12-13, 2021 by conference call;

Whereas, during the Work Group meeting, the Draft Implementation Report was reviewed and participants made suggestions for clarification of certain tasks and provided a number of other general and specific comments to Reclamation;

Whereas, Reclamation incorporated appropriate comments and the *Final Implementation Report*, *Fiscal Year 2022 Work Plan and Budget*, *Fiscal Year 2020 Accomplishment Report* was provided to the Steering Committee members by June 16, 2021 for consideration at the June 23, 2021 Steering Committee meeting conference call;

Whereas, with Reclamation's revisions, the Final Implementation Report fits within the Conservation Plan described in the LCR MSCP Habitat Conservation Plan, Chapter 5; now therefore, be it

Resolved that the Steering Committee approve, by consensus, the *Final Implementation Report, Fiscal Year 2022 Work Plan and Budget, Fiscal Year 2020 Accomplishment Report* for \$25,440,410 and encourage the LCR MSCP to submit the approved Final Implementation Report to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service for consistency review.

Draft Motion

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